

TOASTER AND LIFT USED THEREFOR

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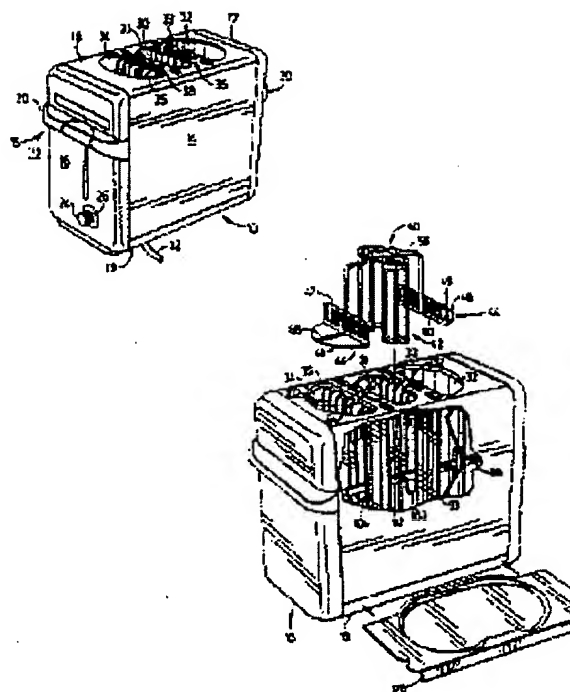
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Abstract of JP2119825

PURPOSE: To provide a lift having a first portion supporting a Frankfurter in a Frankfurter heating chamber and a second portion supporting a bread in a bread heating chamber, to enable to perform lifting smoothly by fixing and seating the left and right plates of the second portion to a horizontal bar when lowered.

CONSTITUTION: A toaster 10 is provided with a Frankfurter heating chamber 30 between opposing heating chambers 32 and 34, and a lift 40 has a first portion 42 supporting a Frankfurter in a Frankfurter heating chamber and a second portion 44 supporting at least one bread in one of individual bread heating chambers. A link rod connects the said portions. Channels 82 and 84 allow the lift to be inserted into by receiving an upper side part 56 of the link rod. At this time, the left and right plates 46 and 48 of the second portion make contact with a horizontal bar 86 and seat on it. Grooves 88 and 90 give them a fixed seat, and slots 103 and 104 guide the horizontal bar. Thereby, the lift can be lowered perfectly into each heating chamber by lowering also the horizontal bar when pushing down a knob 22.

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